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Application No.: 09/941,105

Group Art Unit: 2175

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Examiner: Jacques Veillard

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ELECTRONIC MAIL DOCUMENTSMS Amendment  
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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2004 (Paper No. 6) (hereinafter "the Office Action"), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the claims for allowance in light of the proposed amendments and remarks provided below:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 8.

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**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

**SPECIFICATION**

- ☒ There are no amendments to the specification.  
☐ Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

**CLAIMS**

- ☐ There are no amendments to the claims.  
☒ A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in  
Ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.

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**FORMAL SUBMISSION OF:**

- 1) Amendment Transmittal; and
- 2) Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

Title: PARSING OF NESTED INTERNET ELECTRONIC MAIL DOCUMENTS  
Serial No. 09/941,105  
Filing Date: August 28, 2001  
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**AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for ☐ \$55.00 ☐ \$110.00 to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the ☐ \$385.00 ☐ \$770.00 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ Applicant(s) previously submitted \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_, for which continued examination is requested.
- ☐ A request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.

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- ☐ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

AMENDED CLAIMS					
	No. of Claims	Highest No. Of Claims Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims				x \$18.00 =	
Ind. Claims				x \$ 86.00 =	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00					
Total Amendment Fee					
If Small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					

- ☐ A claim fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ - is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account no. 07-2347.

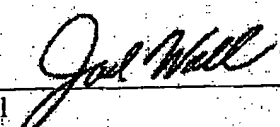
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other appropriate fees that may be required by this paper that are not accounted for above, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2347.

Respectfully submitted,

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